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SUBJECT: SALE OF ITALIAN M-113'S TO GREECE AND ABU DHABI

REFS: A. ROME 6513; B. STATE 110786 (BOTH NOTAL)

1. MISSION HAS RECEIVED TWO NEW REQUESTS FROM MOD FOR U.S. PERMISSION FOR THIRD-COUNTRY SALES OF M-113 PERSONNEL CARRIERS: 200 M-113-A1 AND A1 (IMPROVED) VEHICLES FOR GREECE, AND 150 M-113'S FOR ABU DHABI. ("IMPROVED" VERSION CARRIES CHASSIS CHANGES DESIGNED BY ITALIANS.)

2. WE TRUST THAT THE RESTRAINTS REGARDING SALES TO LIBYA AND INDIA CITED BY DEPARTMENT IN REF B DO NOT APPLY IN THESE TWO CASES. IN VIEW OF NEGATIVE DECISION BY INDIA, WE VERY MUCH HOPE THAT DEPARTMENT WILL BE ABLE TO APPROVE THESE NEW REQUESTS RAPIDLY.

3. ACTION REQUESTED: PROMPT APPROVAL OF SALES.BEAUDRY

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